Hallo dear MMMonVHF friends,

please find below our latest NEWSLETTER of the VHF-DX-Portal
"Make More Miles on VHF" (www.MMMonVHF.de) dated 2009-06-19
We attempt to distribute our Newletter one or two times per week.
For further detail please be so kind and refer at our "News"-page:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php - welcome and enjoy...

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Latest NEWS/INFO for the NEWSLETTER
MMMonVHF The VHF-DX-Portal
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LOGs for ES and TROPO on 144 MHz:

Hallo dear friends of MMMonVHF, past weeks we did receive some
infos that there are people tried to place a LOG to MMMonVHF and
did not find it easy or even was not able to place the LOG at all
We did our best to make these service as easy as possible, so
we do need the problems in detail. PLEASE read our short HOW TO at:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/minibb/index.php?action=vthread&forum=1&topic=90#msg185
SOURCE: Guy, DL8EBW, on behalf of the MMMonVHF Team

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MOONBOUNCE Championship:

The 2009 144 MHz Digital EME Championship sponsored by DUBUS and
REF. The 144 MHz Digital EME Championship is intended to encourage
world-wide activity on 2m moonbounce. Each different call prefix
forms a multiplier. Championship Date July 25th 00:00 to July 26th
23:59 UTC (48 hours) 2m Digital only - read all details please at:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=2601
SOURCE: tnx to Jo, DL8HCZ/CT1HZE direct to MMMonVHF

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MS-Summer Contest 2009
Hello MS Friends, We would like thank you for your participation in
"Summer MS Contest 2009" and encourage you to post your contest logs
at golmscont@ptt.rs Whishing you the best reflections and hope to
hear them again from your QTH in GOLMS 2010, Yours GOLMS Contest
Commitee SOURCE: YU7KB-Bane, YU7ON-Zoran, YU7PAA-Ilija via Reflector

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MMMonVHF MS Sprint Contest 2009

The VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF in cooperation with the magazines DUBUS
and Funk-Telegramm (by Joachim, DL8HCZ) invited you to take part in
our new 144 MHz Meteorscatter Sprint Contest, which took place for the
first time in the 2008 Perseid shower and will be run year by year now
MMMonVHF Meteorscatter Sprint Contest Periode 2009:
>Date: 12 August 2009 Time period: 00.00hrs till 23.59hrs UT (End
time of the last complete QSO). Infos and Rules you will find at:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/ctest.php
SOURCE: Erwin, DK5EW on behalf of the Team of MMMonVHF

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Andorra C37NL JN02 Results:

After my return from Andorra found the transatlantic path solid open
for hours last two days, shame it wasn't last week!. Had three good
days of Es with Europe out of the eight of the operation. Es-skip is
obviously rather different than from EA7. We made as C37NL 2500 QSOs,
2000 unique calls, in 60 DXCC entities. Also made a 1st C3 ever EME
QSO on 6m with W7GJ . Longest distance think it was with amigo Pat,
W5OZI, ~8700 km . Read all at: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/review.php
SOURCE: tnx to Jose, EA7KW, direct to MMMonVHF

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JUBILEE:

CQ SIX - 50 MHz DX Information. 20 Year Jubilee issue
Jubilee !. 20 years ago on the 12 th. of June 1989, was the very
start of what have developed into this information page. The first
issues was a band report only, the fist one came out approx. half
a year before the 6m. band was available to Danish radio amateurs.
SOURCE: CQ SIX - 50 MHz DX News #20090612
We do wish the Team around Matt, OZ6OM, for their further work a
lot of good success! Guy, DL8EBW, on behalf of the MMMonVHF Team

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Solar activity:

NASA Science News for June 17, 2009. Where have all the sunspots
gone? Scientists studying a jet stream deep inside the sun may
have found the answer. Full story at:
http://science.nasa.gov/headlines/y2009/17jun_jetstream.htm
SOURCE: CQ SIX - 50 MHz DX News #20090619

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Latest DXPEDITION and EVENT NEWS - Please do use:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php
and use the FILTER for your personal wishes!
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*** OY / IP61 ***

OY/SP6IXF and OY/SP7VC will be operating from the Faeroe Islands
in IP61 grid square between 10 and 16 August. We plan to be active
on 160m-6m SSB and 2m (Random 144355.0 MHz) Meteor scatter FSK441
in Perseids. Our HF antenna system will consist of Spiderbeam, R-7
and INV-L for 80-160m + beverages. For VHF is 2M5WL Yagi and
6el.Yagi for 6m. Each band will be with PA (GS-35 for 2m and GU-43
for HF+6m). Maybe it will be possible for SP7VC/MM to be active
across the "marine grid square" on 2 and 6m on the way from Denmark
via Shetlands to the Faeroes (IC-706 + 4EL. Yagi 2m + vertical 6m)
JO37,27,17,18,19,09 and IP 80,81,71.
SOURCE: tnx to Mek, SP7VC, direct to MMMonVHF

*** SM / JO98 ***

Andy, DK7DR, will be hiding direction Sweden with a mobilhome from
up Saturday 19th june. Maybe Andy will be able to activate the rare
square JO98 for own morning and will send some info to MMMonVHF
direct than. Keep tuned! Rig will be 8 el DK7ZB antenna and IC 7400
More details will follow when he is at the side...

SOURCE: tnx to Andy, DK7DR, direct MMMonVHF

*** T7 / JN63 ***

T70A will be ready from JN63 for the contest iaru 50mhz in category "multi op". OPs are: iz4dpv, iz4aks, i4yss and iw2mjq. They will use 3 antennas beamed in different directions. QSL via A.R.R.S.M. RADIO CLUB, P.O. Box 77, 47890 SAN MARINO, REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO
SOURCE: tnx to Massimo, IZ4DPV, direct to MMMonVHF

*** 3B8 / LG89 ***

Activity from Mauritius Island on HF and 50 MHz
Luc, I3LDP will be active from 3B8 (Loc: LG89vt) from 29 June till 11 July on HF and 50 Mhz and looking for a good location for EME operations next year (2010). Rig: Icom IC-7000, vertical for 40-10 m and vertical dipole for 50 MHz. Mode SSB + CW - QSL via my home call 73 de "Luc" I3LDP - SOURCE: Lucio, I3LDP, direct to MMMonVHF

*** JA / QM05 ***

Hello Moon Event on June 27 at 8J1AXA (QM05DF)
Saturday, June 27, 35 school children from Aoyama Gakuin Elementary School in Tokyo will visit our moon-bounce station 8J1AXA. After our moon elevation becomes over 5 deg. at 0045, Hello Moon exhibition will be started. Since our operation permission is limited to 144 and 432 MHz, we plan to operate 432 MHz SSB/CW for the event.
SOURCE: Mike, JH1KRC via MoonNet

*** F / IN78 IN87 ***

The Sevran RC F5KKD will be touring two French IOTAs this summer QRV from Sein Island (IN78, EU068, DIFM AT007, WLOTA 2721, Dep. Finistere/29 and Province Brittany (DPF 06)) 24 July afternoon and finish Monday 27 July - QRV from Belle Ile Island (IN87, EU-048 DIFM AT-015, WLOTA 0078), Department Morbihan/56 and Province Brittany (DPF 06))- 11 to 14 september 2009 - Read more (as well planned V/UHF Freq.): http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=2621
SOURCE: The F5KKD Team via F5NQL-News

*** GM / IO67 ***

Members of the Workington and District Amateur Radio Club will once again be active as MS0WRC from Crannag Cottage, NE Coast Isle of Barra (LOC: IO67GA ,IOSA OH-11, SCOTIA HI-02, WAB NF70, WLOTA 3126), Outer Hebrides, from September 26th to October 3rd. Operators mentioned are: Steve/G0MTD, Paul/M1PAF, Mark/M0WCR and Glyn/M3XUH. Activity will be on all HF bands but mainly 80/40/20/17 meters SSB and VHF/UHF FM. The group also plans to travel around the island (active as mobile or portable) and possibly activate some rare WAB Squares. QSL direct to G0MTD or by the Bureau to either MS0WRC or G0MTD. More information can be found on Steve's Web page at: http://www.g0mtd.co.uk
SOURCE: Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #912

*** 8Q / MJ64 ***

6m EME from 8Q7QQ in MJ64jh June 29 to July 10

LATEST NEWS from Pierre, HB9QQ, dated 2009-06-17: Through the help of Mike, K6MYC, I found a 500 watt 6m final from the FALCON Radio & ASSL (EA3AVW) so if I have no problems with the costum in 8Q7 I will be QRV (with one day delay) from june the 28th. I have to get the PA in Friederichshafen's big Radio Exhibition. Last but not least... best 73 - Pierre HB9QQ
SOURCE: tnx to Lance, W7GJ direct to MMMonVHF

*** VK ***

VK1WJ qrv in the VHF-Winter field day
Hi All, So far I am planning to participate in the 8h section Sa only with light equipment (max 50W and dipole for 6m, 2 element for 2m and 4 element for 70cm) on one of Canberra's suburban hills (possibly Gossan Hill or Mt. Rogers). BTW is there any interest trying FSK441 or any other digimodes?
SOURCE: Waldis, VK1WJ via VK-VHF mailing list

*** VK ***

VK1DA qrv in the VHF-Winter field day
I plan to operate in this event on Sat 20 and Sun 21 June. I may decide to close down early in the evening on Saturday and return in the morning, depending on weather conditions. Bands from 6m to 13cm. Location a hill in the Canberra city area, not the Brindabellas and not Mt Ginini.
SOURCE: Andrew, VK1DA via VK-VHF mailing list

*** CT8 ***

Jan,DL7JAN and Egon,DL2IX are taking place on Faial Island (IOTA EU175), Acores from 21st August to 31st August 2009. They will be active from 80m to 6m in CW,SSB and RTTY. QSL is ok via homecall either buro or direct. SOURCE: tnx to Bill, NG3K-DX-News

*** JT ***

Giampiero, I5NOC will be active as JT1NOC from Mongolia on 12 - 29 June. He will operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres, and will also give 6m a try. QSL via home call.
SOURCE: [TNX IK5HHA] via (425 DX News #945)

*** SV5 / KM36 ***

Pandelis (SV5AZP), Stathis (SV5DKL), Dionisis (SV5FRD), Panagiotis (SV5AZK) and Yiannis (SV5FRI) will be active as SX5SYMI from the island of Symi, Dodecanese (EU-001) from 31 July to 3 August. They plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL direct to SV5FRI. Further information at http://sx5symi.symiakos.gr details http://www.5-9report.gr/giota/index.htm
SOURCE: [TNX SV5FRI] via 425 DX News #945

*** KH4 / RL88 ***

Midway Island 2009 - Press Release Number 4 - June 16, 2009
Planning and arrangements have now become happenings. Equipment and loaner gear is being shipped or staged for shipment later. We

have added three new operators to the team, James 9V1YC, Arnie N6HC
and Tom ND2T. With these three additions come years of experience
and only add to the overall team experience now in place. Read more
at: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=2343
SOURCE: om N4XP & Dave WB4JTT - Co Leaders for Midway Island 2009

*** PA / JO21 ***

Members of the VERON section 54 (PI4ETL) will activate PH100EL
between Jun 18 and Jul 12. This special call celebrates the 100th
anniversary of the first flight of the aviation pioneer Charles
count de Lambert. QSL via PD0PVQ. More information including the
 special award at: http://www.qrz.com/db/PH100EL
SOURCE: tnx DXNL 1628 - Jun 17, 2009

*** SM / JO57 ***

Large dish 23 cm EME activity - SK6OSO - Onsala Space Observatory
The West Coast Microwave Group of Sweden will make use of the 25.6m
 antenna at the Onsala Space Observatory just south of Gothenburg
(JO57XJ) for 23cm EME on July 18/19. The call will be SK6OSO and we
plan activity for two complete moon passes. The antenna is polar
mounted and can track down to the horizon. Further information to
be announced on www.sk6yh.org as we get closer to operation.
Read mpre details at: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=2630
Ben, SM6CKU and Ingolf, SM6FHZ via MoonNet

*** W / CN80 ***

144 MHz CW EME Skeds for 27, 28th june, 144
Still looking for CW skeds with stns i've not worked yet.
2 Yag/qro or 4 yag with 800-kw will do. Pse send proposals pretty
soon. RIG: 4X15 yag, 1.5 kw, gasfet. Tnx, Larry K6AAW
SOURCE: Larry K6AAW via MoonNet

*** G / IO94 ***

GB0ZLB will be on the air June 19-21st for the Zetland Life Boat
at Redcar, Yorkshire, England (IOTA EU-005, WLOTA 1841, WAB: NZ 62)
Just a quick reminder, Redcar Lifeboat Day is on Saturday 20 June
2009! The Zetland is the 'Oldest Lifeboat in the World' built in
1802 and still on display at the Zetland Lifeboat Museum, in Redcar
Over 200 years ago Zetland was built by a Yorkshireman, Henry
Greathead, from Richmond who set up as a boat builder and made the
first lifeboat Original. Read Full announce of these activity at:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=2639 The station will be
active on the HF and VHF bands. QSL via the RSGB Bureau.
SOURCE: [GB2RS] via ICPO Bulletin (June 18 - 26, 2009)

*** EI / IO63 ***

As part of their 40th anniversary, Dundalk Amateur Radio Society
will be activating their club call EI7DAR from Dundalk, County
Louth, Ireland (IOTA EU-115, WLOTA 2484) on the weekend of June
20-21st. QRV on all bands from 160m to 1.2 GHz. The club will also
be taking part in the IRTS 80m Counties Contest as EI7DAR/P on the
Sunday afternoon. This will include, as an exercise, the testing
of emergency comms country wide in co-operation with AREN on 80m.

QSL via EI2JD, Bureau or direct. An ATV video of the events will
be relayed on the website http://www.ei7dar.com/
SOURCE: [GB2RS] via ICPO Bulletin (June 18 - 26, 2009)

*** G / IO92 ***

Special event station GB2RRM will be active June 20 - 21st from
the Ramsey Rural Museum, in Ramsey, Cambridgeshire, England
(IOTA EU-005, WLOTA 1841) which is operated each year in June
for International Museums On the Air. The station is run by
members of the Huntingdonshire Amateur Radio Society (G0HSR).
The Ramsey Rural Museum is housed in 17th century farm buildings
The collections include a wide variety of agricultural implements
and tools used by local craftsmen. There are many examples of
well restored farm machinery. QRV on all HF bands, plus VHF,
using CW and PSK. QSL via G8AKL.
SOURCE: [GB2RS] via ICPO Bulletin (June 18 - 26, 2009)

*** G / IO92 ***

The Tamworth ARS (G8TRS) will be taking part in International
Museums Weekend on 20 and 21 June using the callsign GB2TC from
Tamworth Castle, located next to the River Tame, in the town of
Tamworth in Staffordshire, England (IOTA EU-005, WLOTA 1841).
The present Tamworth castle dates from the 11th century and was
built by the Normans. The team will also be activating the castle
for Castles And Stately Homes On The Air (C.A.S.H.O.T.A.) at the
same time. QRV on all HF bands, plus VHF bands.
QSL via the RSGB Bureau.
SOURCE: [GB2RS] via ICPO Bulletin (June 18 - 26, 2009)

*** SM / IOTA ***

Jorgen, SM3CXS will be active as SG3U from Trasko Island (EU-084)
until 16 June and from Grimskar Island (EU-176) on 18-21 June. He
operates SSB and CW on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or
bureau. SOURCE: [TNX www.rsgbiota.org] via 425 DX News #945

*** SOTA ***

SOTA-News - Upcoming Activations updated at our MMMonVHF page
as long these including VHF or U/SHF-Activities. A complete over
view about all SOTA-Activities are on: http://www.sotawatch.org
SOURCE: tnx the Group around Summits On The Air (SOTA)

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The VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF - Newsletter Credits & Info
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Our Newsletter is compiled from the input of the USER of the VHF-DX-Portal
MMMonVHF as well by a lot of free usable HF-V-U-SHF-Info-Sources and chats
like ON4KST-, N0UK-, RU-VHF-DX-Net, EA-V-U-SHF-Chat and others...

*** Many thanks to all USER who send us info and news ***

Wherever we found the info we always indicate the source of the info.
If you get knowledge of an expedition, which is NOT listed at our

VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF or if you have additional info for an expedition,
PLEASE be so kind and send us this info at
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/newsuser.php or http://www.mmmonvhf.de/kontact.php

The MMMonVHF-Team is always trying to spread any expedition info as much
up-to-date and reliable as possible and as long as the info does not
violate with our MMMonVHF-Policy.

Have a lot of fun and enjoy MMMonVHF!

73 de Guido "Guy" DL8EBW
on behalf of the MMMonVHF-Team
(DG2KBC DK3XT DK5EW DK5YA HA5CRX IV3NDC OZ1LPR PA2DW PA3BIY & PA4EME)

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